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#### Introduction

Cemeteries can be valuable resources for genealogists and historians. Sometimes cemeteries can become lost and difficult to find; this may be due to the following: Cemetery name change(s), local landmark removal, streets being renamed, moved, or even removed. There are even cases of towns changing their name or just disappearing altogether.

Cemetery Citings' goal is to provide you the information necessary to find the cemetery. The Cemetery Citings list is arranged by county or independent city; the individual cemeteries are listed by name in alphabetical order. When the location of a cemetery has a physical address, it will be listed. For older cemeteries, there may not be a physical street address; in those listings, we will note an approximate street address. The purpose of including GPS coordinates is to assist with locating the cemetery more accurately. The GPS coordinates will get you to the center of the cemetery, whether it has a physical or an approximate address.

This guide does not list the names of those buried in the cemeteries. Instead, we list the following cemetery information: Name, Alternate names, location by way of an address, in some cases an approximate address, and GPS coordinates. If available, phone number, affiliations, and the year the cemetery was established.

In Cemetery Citings, we list only the cemeteries that could be verified. This verification information was generously provided to us by CemteryRegistry.US. There are many more cemeteries than those listed here. Hence, CemeteryRegistry.US's purpose of verifying cemeteries and their locations. Without the hard work by CemeteryRegistry.US, the history preserved in our cemeteries is lost to time.

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### Alaska State Information:

Population: 738,432 (2015 estimate)

Capital: Juneau

Land Area: 570,641 square miles (1,477,953 sq km)

Bordering States: None

Vitus Bering, a Dane working for the Russians, and Alexei Chirikov discovered the Alaskan mainland and the Aleutian Islands in 1741.

The transfer of the territory from Russian took place on October 18, 1867.

The first official census (1880) reported a total of 33,426 Alaskans, all but 430 being of aboriginal stock.

The Gold Rush of 1898 resulted in a mass influx of more than 30,000 people.

Organized as territory: 1912

Missouri became the 49<sup>th</sup> state in the union on January 3, 1959

Number of boroughs (counties): 27

As of May 2021, approximately 19 cemeteries were verified out of 57 known cemeteries.

References:

Infoplease.com. (n.d.). Alaska: History, Geography, Population, and State Facts - Infoplease.com. Retrieved from: https://www.infoplease.com/us/states/alaska

### Cemetery Rights

### What are Public and Private Cemeteries

A public cemetery is used by the general community, a neighborhood, or a church.

A private cemetery is used only by a family or a small portion of the community. However, it is the mode of use rather than ownership that determines whether a cemetery is public or private. So, public use rather than ownership determines if a cemetery is public. For example, a privately-owned or privately maintained cemetery may be deemed a public cemetery if it is open to the public's use for burials under reasonable regulations.

Family burying grounds are lots that are not sold to the public and restricted to interments for a group of persons related to each other by blood or marriage.

A cemetery includes the actual gravesites and surrounding areas such as avenues, walks, and grounds.

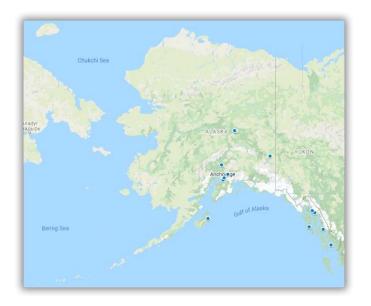
### Cemetery Laws

Cemeteries are not governed by laws that apply to real property or corporations due to their inherently different nature. Cemeteries are generally regulated on the State level.

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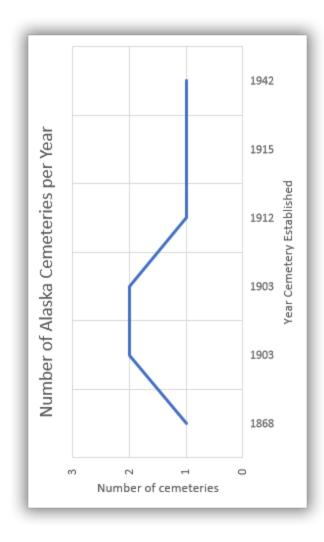
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### Alaska State Map Highlighting Verified Cemeteries



### Alaska Cemetery Timeline

The chart shows the number of cemeteries established per year.



#### **Anchorage Borough**

Name: Anchorage Memorial Park Cemetery
Other Names: Anchorage Municipal Cemetery

Address: 535 East 9th Avenue Anchorage, Alaska 99501 County: Anchorage Borough Phone: 907-343-6814 Affiliation: Non-Sectarian Established: 1915

GPS Location: 61.21492, -149.876631

Last Update: 6/20/2017

Active: Yes

Name: Angelus Memorial Park Cemetery
Other Names: Evergreen Memorial Cemetery

Address: 440 East Klatt Road Anchorage, Alaska 99515 County: Anchorage Borough Phone: 907-344-1311 Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Yes

**GPS Location:** 61.114047, -149.871303

Last Update: 11/15/2017

Name: Fort Richardson National Cemetery
Other Names: Fort Richardson Post Cemetery

Address: Bldg. 58-512, Davis Hwy Fort Richardson, Alaska 99505 County: Anchorage Borough Phone: 907-384-7075 Affiliation: Military

Established: 1942 Active: Yes

GPS Location: 61.275235, -149.66001

Last Update: 6/20/2017

#### Fairbanks North Star Borough

Name: Birch Hill Cemetery

Other Names:

Address: 100 City Lights Boulevard

Fairbanks, Alaska 99701

County: Fairbanks North Star Borough

Phone: 907-978-9511 Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Yes

GPS Location: 64.860527, -147.671400

Last Update: 11/15/2017

Name: Clay Street Cemetery

Other Names:

Address: 347 Clay Street Fairbanks, Alaska 99701

County: Fairbanks North Star Borough

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Affiliation: Pioneer Established: 1903 Active: Unknown

GPS Location: 64.841430, -147.707302

Last Update: 6/20/2017

Name: Northern Lights Memorial Cemetery

Other Names:

**Address:** 2318 Yankovich Road Fairbanks, Alaska 99709

County: Fairbanks North Star Borough

**Phone:** 907-479-2545 **Affiliation:** Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Yes

**GPS Location:** 64.878797, -147.878242

Last Update: 11/15/2017

#### Juneau Borough

Name: Alaskan Memorial Park

Other Names:

Address: 3839 Riverside Drive

Juneau, Alaska 99801 County: Juneau Borough Phone: 907-789-0611 Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Yes

GPS Location: 58.389729, -134.586370

Last Update: 6/20/2017

Name: Evergreen Cemetery

Other Names:

Address: 601 Seater Street Juneau, Alaska 99801 County: Juneau Borough Phone: 907-364-2828 Affiliation: Unknown

Established: Active: Yes

GPS Location: 58.304521, -134.422905

Last Update: 6/20/2017

Name: Saint Therese Columbarium

Other Names:

Address: 21425 Glacier Highway

Juneau, Alaska 99801 County: Juneau Borough

Phone:

Affiliation: Unknown

Established: Active: Unknown

GPS Location: 58.472307, -134.783474

Last Update: 6/20/2017

#### Ketchikan Gateway Borough

Name: Bayview Cemetery

Other Names:

**Address:** 1121 Stedman Street Ketchikan, Alaska 99901

County: Ketchikan Gateway Borough

Phone: 907-228-5658 Affiliation: Non-Sectarian Established: 1903 Active: Yes

GPS Location: 55.335072, -131.625839

Last Update: 11/15/2017

### Kodiak Island Borough

Name: Kodiak City Cemetery

Other Names:

Address: 1817 Chichenof Street

Kodiak, Alaska 99615

County: Kodiak Island Borough

Phone: 907-486-8636 Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Yes

GPS Location: 57.801938, -152.376134

Last Update: 11/15/2017

Name: Old American Cemetery
Other Names: American Cemetery
Address: Erskine Avenue & Mill Bay Road

Kodiak, Alaska 99615

County: Kodiak Island Borough

Phone: 907-486-8636 Affiliation: Unknown Established: 1868 Active: Unknown

GPS Location: 57.792529, -152.400098

Last Update: 6/20/2017

#### Matanuska-Susitna Borough

Name: Palmer Pioneer Cemetery

Other Names:

Address: 901 East Arctic Avenue

Palmer, Alaska 99645

County: Matanuska-Susitna Borough

Phone:

Affiliation: Pioneer Established:
Active: Unknown

GPS Location: 61.607663, -149.092139

Last Update: 6/20/2017

Name: Talkeetna Cemetery

Other Names:

**Address:** 22209 South F Street Talkeetna, Alaska 99676

County: Matanuska-Susitna Borough

Phone:

Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Unknown

**GPS Location:** 62.322476, -150.103337

Last Update: 6/20/2017

Name: Valley Memory Garden
Other Names: Valley Memorial Park

Address: Mile 12.8 South Old Glenn Highway

Palmer, Alaska 99645

County: Matanuska-Susitna Borough

Phone: 907-745-6655

Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Yes

GPS Location: 61.558902, -149.042483

Last Update: 11/15/2017

#### Petersburg Borough

Name: Petersburg Memorial Cemetery Other Names: Turn Point Cemetery Address: Cemetery Access Road Petersburg, Alaska 99833 County: Petersburg Borough

Phone:

Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Unknown

GPS Location: 56.800843, -132.979741

Last Update: 6/20/2017

#### Sitka Borough

Name: Sitka Memorial Park

Other Names:

Address: 803 Sawmill Creek Road

Sitka, Alaska 99835 County: Sitka Borough Phone: 907-747-3913 Affiliation: Non-Sectarian

Established: Active: Yes

GPS Location: 57.055393, -135.323458

Last Update: 6/20/2017

Name: Sitka National Cemetery Other Names: National Cemetery Address: 803 Sawmill Creek Road

Sitka, Alaska 99835 County: Sitka Borough Phone: 907-384-7075 Affiliation: Military Established: 1912 Active: Yes

GPS Location: 57.054667, -135.324048

Last Update: 6/20/2017

#### Southeast Fairbanks Census Area

Name: Indian Cemetery

Other Names: Address: E 1st Street Northway, Alaska 99764

County: Southeast Fairbanks Census Area

Phone:

Affiliation: Alaska Native

Established: Active: Unknown

**GPS Location:** 62.981162, -141.933668

**Last Update:** 6/20/2017